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Town Officers

Town Clerk—Charles C. Tarlton.

Selectmen and Assessors—Elmer E. Eaton, Oliver B. Marvin,
Jesse O. White.

Treasurer—Charles C. Tarlton.

Collector—Wayne D. Poole.

Auditor—Roy J. Prohaska.

Constable—Andrew J. Horning.

Police—Henry E. Campbell.

Overseers of the Poor—Selectmen.

Board of Health—Selectmen.

Library and Cemetery Trustees—Edwin D. Rand, 3 years,
Henry Becker, Jr., 2 years; James W. Pridham, 1 year.

Fish and Game Warden—Henry E. Campbell.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Roy J. Prohaska.

Town Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of New Castle qualified to vote in town affairs:—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall on the second Tuesday of March, 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary for payment of all town officers and contingent expenses for the ensuing year.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs of highways and bridges for the year ensuing.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the permanent improvement of highways for the year ensuing.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state-aid construction of highways for the year ensuing.

7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state-aid maintenance of highways for the year ensuing.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise the money necessary for the maintenance of street lights for the year ensuing.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the public library for the year ensuing.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor for the year ensuing.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for patriotic purposes for the year ensuing.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of money necessary for the payment of town note due June 1, 1919.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of money necessary for payment of interest on town notes for the year ensuing.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for use of hydrants for the year ensuing

15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for salary of the collector of taxes for the year ensuing.

16. To see if the town will vote a discount on taxes paid within a limited time.

17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on credit of the town.

18. To see if the town will vote to abolish the board of water commissioners and to place the management, control and direction of the water works in the hands of the Selectmen, with all the powers and subject to all the duties in relation thereto that are imposed on boards of water commissioners by law; or to elect one water commissioner to hold office for three years.

19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for salaries of water commissioners for the year ensuing.

20. To transact any other business that legally may come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said town of New Castle, the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1919.

ELMER E. EATON,
OLIVER B. MARVIN,
JESSE O. WHITE,

Selectmen of New Castle, N. H.

A true copy of warrant, Attest:

ELMER E. EATON,
OLIVER B. MARVIN,
JESSE O. WHITE,

Selectmen of New Castle, N. H.

Inventory

Land and buildings	\$454,805.00
Horses, 12	1,850.00
Cows, 7	310.00
Vehicles and automobiles, 33	4,315.00
Money on hand and at interest	6,080.69
Stock in banks	2,400.00
Bonds	7,000.00
Stock in trade	744.00
Boats	280.00
Toll Bridge	3,500.00
Rockingham County Light & Power Co.	4,138.84
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	\$485,423.53

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATES

Amount of taxes committed to Collector	\$7,340.76
Average rate per cent of taxation	.0147
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$3,600.00

APPROPRIATIONS

County tax	\$1,038.59
State tax	800.00
Salaries of town officers and expenses	880.00
Highways and bridge	963.00
Street lighting	634.56
Public library	215.00
Town poor	104.00
Patriotic purposes, "soldiers' graves"	10.00
Interest	453.25
Hydrant service	225.00
Salaries, water department	75.00
Schools	1,440.00
Collector's commission, 2½ per cent.	170.96
Overlay	263.52
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	\$7,272.88

New Hampshire State Tax Commission

Uniform Municipal Accounts
Laws 1917, Chap. 57.

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE
Town of New Castle in Rockingham County
For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1919

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, January 31, 1919.

CHARLES C. TARLTON, Treasurer.

ELMER E. EATON,
OLIVER B. MARVIN,
JESSE O. WHITE,

Selectmen.

Assets

Cash:—

In hands of treasurer	\$1,311.47
In hands of Collector	95.37

Sinking Funds:—

Cash set aside for repairs on stone crusher	345.24
Cash belonging to sinking funds in banks	204.78

Accounts Due to the Town:—

Due from County	174.00
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Other bills due Town:

(a) Due for entering sewer	120.00
(b) Care of Jane P. Tarlton cemetery	2.50

Taxes not collected: (a) Levy of 1918	21.76
(b) Levy of 1917	21.75
(c) Levy of 1916	151.44
(d) Levy of 1915	163.35
Previous years	1,068.85

Total assets	\$3,680.71
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Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	9,450.82
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Grand total	\$13,131.53
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Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:—

Collector's commission outstanding	\$176.30	
Bills outstanding	12.50	
Collector's expense outstanding	8.75	
	<hr/>	\$197.55
Due to School Districts: (a) Dog licenses	39.80	
(b) Literary fund	44.85	
(c) School money	249.33	
	<hr/>	333.98

Long Term Notes Outstanding:—

Water notes	12,600.00	
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Total liabilities	<u><u>\$13,131.53</u></u>
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Schedule of Town Property

Description.	Value.
Town hall, lands and buildings	\$4,000.00
Furniture and equipment	800.00
Highway Department equipment	1,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$5,800.00

Receipts

Current Revenue:—

From Local Taxes:		
Amount committed to collector	\$7,340.76	
Less discounts and abatements	6,988.52	
Less uncollected	6,885.09	
Property and poll taxes, current year, actually collected	\$6,885.09	
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	404.00	
Total of above collections	<hr/>	\$7,289.09
From State:—		
For State Aid maintenance (highways)	77.73	
For State Aid construction (highways)	738.44	
	<hr/>	816.17
Insurance tax	2.06	
Railroad tax	40.97	
Savings bank tax	676.62	
Literary fund	44.85	
Liquor licenses	1.91	1.91
From County:—		
For support of poor	233.04	
For aid furnished soldiers	78.00	
	<hr/>	311.04
From Local Sources Except Taxes:—		
Dog licenses	39.80	
Business licenses and permits	15.00	
Interest received on taxes	84.18	
Interest received on deposits	47.61	
Cancelled check No. 1667	16.00	
	<hr/>	202.59
Total current revenue receipts		<hr/> \$8,620.80
Receipts other than Current Revenue:—		
From Ladies' Industrial Circle for light	\$6.00	
Total receipts other than current revenue		6.00
Total receipts from all sources		<hr/> \$8,626.80
Cash on hand at beginning of year		<hr/> 2,058.40
Grand total		<hr/> \$10,685.20

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:—

General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$300.91	
Town officers' expenses	306.13	
Election and registration expenses	72.50	
Collector's commissions	221.58	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	37.67	
		<u>\$938.79</u>

Protection of Persons and Property:—

Police department, including care of tramps	10.00	
Fire department, including forest fires	225.00	
		<u>235.00</u>

Health:—

Health department, including hospitals	93.10	
Vital statistics	64.30	
		<u>157.40</u>

Highways and Bridges:—

State Aid Maintenance	1,297.67	
Street lighting and sprinkling	581.68	
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	5.00	
		<u>1,884.35</u>

Libraries:—

Libraries	215.00	
		<u>215.00</u>

Charities:—

Town poor	98.00	
County poor	190.00	
		<u>288.00</u>

Patriotic Purposes:—

Aid to G. A. R. and Memorial Day exercises	10.00	
		<u>10.00</u>

Public Service Enterprises:—

Appropriation to water and electric utilities	75.00	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	2.50	
		<u>77.50</u>

Unclassified:—

16.35	
	<u>16.35</u>

Total current maintenance expenses	\$3,822.39
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Interest:—

Paid on long term notes	\$453.25	
Paid on bonded debt	33.33	
Total interest payments		<u>486.58</u>

Indebtedness:—

Payments on long term notes	700.00	
Payments on bonded debt	1,000.00	
Total indebtedness payments	<u> </u>	1,700.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:—		
Taxes paid to State	35.50	
Taxes paid to County	1,038.59	
Payments to School districts	2,290.67	
Total payments to other governmental divisions	<u> </u>	3,364.76
Total payments for all purposes		<u>\$9,373.73</u>
Cash on hand at end of year		<u>1,311.47</u>
Grand total		<u>\$10,685.20</u>

Dog Licenses

To the Selectmen of the Town of New Castle:—

The following is a list of licenses paid the Constable, Andrew J. Horning, after the accounts were closed for the year ending January 31, 1918, for licenses due 1917 and 1918:

Date Paid.	Owner's Name.	No.	Dog's Name.	Amount.
Feb. 7,	George H. Davidson	5	Fritz	\$2.00
Feb. 7,	James M. Amazeen	11	Tip	2.00
Feb. 7,	Clarence M. White	19	Patsy	2.00
Feb. 7,	Mrs. Charles E. Young	37	Teddy	2.00
Feb. 7,	Mrs. Charles E. Young	38	Bill	2.00
Feb. 9,	Gordon Sullivan	24		2.00
Feb. 23,	Mrs. Sarah Mcloon	3	Teddy	2.00
Feb. 23,	Mrs. Sarah Meloon	20	Teddy W.	2.00

Total amount received	\$16.00
Less clerk's fees, twenty cents each	1.60

Cash paid to town treasurer \$14.40

CHARLES C. TARLTON,
Town Clerk.

To the Selectmen of the Town of New Castle:—

The following is a list of dog licenses paid to the Town Clerk for the years 1918 and 1919, up to May 1, 1919:

Date Paid.	Owner's Name.	No.	Dog's Name.	Amount.
April 9,	Miss Florence Annable	23	Bunney (s)	\$2.00
May 4,	Judson M. Trefethen	1	Barlow	1.00
May 23,	Andrew J. Horning	6	Gyp	2.00
May 25,	Miss Julia Lovering	44	Judy (s)	2.00
May 28,	Oliver B. Marvin	18	Muffin	2.00
June 5,	Mrs. Charles E. Young	38	Teddy	2.00
June 5,	Mrs. Charles E. Young	37	Bill	2.00
June 13,	Frank Thompson	14	Polly (f)	5.00
July 3,	John M. Young	27	Chub	2.00
Aug. 20,	Mrs. Claude C. Gilliam	25	Sam	2.00
Sept. 23,	Henry Becker, Jr.	17	Jerry	2.00
Nov. 26,	James M. Amazeen	11	Tip	2.00

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Jan. 15,	John Smith	10	Bruce	2.00
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Total amount received	\$28.00
Less clerk's fees, twenty cents each	2.60

Cash paid to town treasurer \$25.40

CHARLES C. TARLTON,
Town Clerk.

Town Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

1918.		
Jan. 31,	Cash on hand in bank	\$2,058.46
Feb. 9,	Received of Stewart Everett Rowe, county treasurer, on account of county aid	311.04
April 1,	Received of National Mechanics and Traders Bank, interest	38.37
April 16,	Received of Jesse O. White, selectman, from L. S. C.	3.00
April 16,	Received of Jesse O. White, selectman, for junk license of Jacob Hooze, No. 1	5.00
April 30,	Received of Elmer E. Eaton, chairman of selectmen, from state treasurer, money due from state highway department	738.44
May 28,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1917	359.94
June 18,	Received of Oliver B. Marvin, selectman, for junk license of Max Kochinsky	5.00
Aug. 6,	Received of E. E. Eaton, chairman of selectmen, for peddler's license of Chris Lewis	5.00
Aug. 6,	Received of J. W. Plummer, state treasurer, from board of excise commissioners	1.91
Aug. 27,	Received of Jesse O. White, selectman, from L. S. C. for lights	3.00
Aug. 27,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1918	1,521.27
Sept. 7,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1918	2,355.62
Sept. 26,	Received of National Mechanics and Traders Bank, interest to Sept. 1, 1918	9.24
Nov. 26,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1918	1,982.74
1919.		
Jan. 7,	Received of Charles C. Tarlton, town clerk, dog license for the years 1917, 1918, 1919	38.00
Jan. 7,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1918	613.22
Jan. 31,	Received of Charles C. Tarlton, town clerk, dog license No. 10	1.80

Jan. 31, Received of Wayne D. Poole, collector of taxes, taxes of 1918	540.48
Jan. 31, Received of state treasurer, highway depart- ment, state aid on account	77.73
Jan. 31, Check No. 1667, lost, cancelled, issued to George W. T. Amazeen	16.00
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Total receipts to date	\$10,685.20
Less selectmen's orders paid	9,373.73
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Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1919	\$1,311.47

To the Selectmen:—

The above correct statement of my account as town treasurer
for the year ending Jan. 31, 1919.

CHARLES C. TARLTON,
Town Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts
and find them correctly cast and properly vouched

ROY F. PROHASKA,
Auditor.

Treasurer's Report of Water Account

RECEIPTS

1918.	
Jan. 31, Cash on hand in bank	\$626.91
Mar. 26, From James E. Sylvester, for water	5.00
Mar. 26, From Elmer E. Eaton, for water	5.25
Mar. 26, From Elmer E. Eaton, for water	19.50
Mar. 26, From Mr. Hefley, tea house, for water	4.50
Mar. 26, From A. W. P. White, for service pipe	103.79
Mar. 26, From George P. Thompson, for service pipe	18.75
Mar. 27, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	62.63
Mar. 27, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	155.50
Mar. 31, From National Mechanics and Traders Bank, interest	2.54
April 2, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	25.50
April 2, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	3.50
April 8, From Miss Helena Trefethen, for water	12.75
April 12, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	238.65
April 12, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	137.00
April 16, From George Simpson, for water	4.50
April 16, From George Simpson, for service pipe	6.15
May 20, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	143.58
May 20, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	68.25
May 23, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	40.88
May 23, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	6.75
Aug. 1, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	88.79
Aug. 1, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for service pipe	10.90
Aug. 13, From Oliver M. Littlefield, clerk water com- missioners, for water	47.00

Aug. 13, From Oliver M. Littlefield, clerk water commissioners, for service pipe	50.25
Aug. 19, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., chairman water commissioners, for water	12.00
Aug. 23, From Wm. W. Cotton, for water	4.50
Aug. 26, From Albert Hanscom, for water	13.50
Aug. 27, From William Tarlton, for water	8.50
Aug. 27, From Maude Trefethen, for water	24.50
Aug. 27, From Chester Becker, for water	4.50
Aug. 27, From Thomas Barber, for water	3.75
Aug. 27, From James W. White, for water	4.50
Aug. 27, From John W. Robinson, for water	2.25
Aug. 27, From George Randall, for water	16.50
Aug. 27, From B. F. Curtis, for water	4.50
Aug. 27, From James Sylvester, for water	6.00
Aug. 27, From William Marvin, for water	7.50
Aug. 27, From Cecil Downing, for water	6.00
Aug. 29, From Frances A. Flint, for water	5.75
Aug. 31, From Annie Neal, for water	9.00
Aug. 31, From Bert Magoon, for water	6.00
Sept. 2, From Alden White, for water	4.50
Sept. 3, From J. W. Amazeen, for water	2.50
Sept. 3, From J. W. Amazeen, for water	17.50
Sept. 4, From Jennie Britton, for water	4.50
Sept. 4, From Fred Noyes, for water	4.50
Sept. 9, From Charles Prohaska, Jr., for water	9.00
Sept. 9, From Richard Poole, for water	15.47
Sept. 9, From estate Charles W. White, for water	13.50
Sept. 10, From W. I. Haywood, for water	7.50
Sept. 10, From Samuel Batson, for water	4.50
Sept. 10, From Edwin Rand, for water	7.50
Sept. 10, From Oliver B. Marvin, for water	4.50
Sept. 11, From Mrs. C. A. Card, for water	6.00
Sept. 19, From estate Ephraim Urch, for water	4.50
Sept. 24, From Carl Behr, Jr., for water	4.50
Sept. 26, From National Mechanics and Traders Bank, interest to Sept. 1, 1918	4.90
Oct. 4, From Albert W. Hanscom, for meter repairs	1.00
Oct. 5, From Chester B. Curtis, for water	12.70
Oct. 7, From Charles Giles, for water	2.25
Oct. 7, From George Simpson, for water	4.50
Oct. 8, From Elmer E. Eaton, for water	13.50
Oct. 9, From Joseph A. Rand, for water	4.75
Nov. 11, From George B. Ricker, for water	13.50
Nov. 12, From Mrs. Grogan, for water	4.50
Nov. 19, From Mrs. Nellie Harrison, for water	2.25

Nov 29,	From Helena Trefethen, for water	4.50
Dec. 19,	From Elias Tarlton, for water	6.00
1919.		
Jan. 1,	From Z. J. V. Randall, supplies	6.75
Jan. 3,	From Bert Magoon, for water	6.22
Jan. 4,	From Nellie Card, for water	3.75
Jan. 4,	From C. M. White, supplies	4.30
Jan. 7,	From Albert W. Hanscom, for water	11.25
Jan. 7,	From Charles Prohaska, Sr., for water	4.11
Jan. 7,	From George Randall, for water	5.00
Jan. 7,	From Rufus Emery, for water	5.25
Jan. 7,	From Rufus Emery, for supplies	5.00
Jan. 7,	From Mrs. James Baker, for water	8.75
Jan. 7,	From William Marvin, for water	10.00
Jan. 7,	From E. E. Eaton, for water	9.50
Jan. 8,	From Harry S. Yeaton, for water	13.50
Jan. 9,	From Chester Williams, for water	5.25
Jan. 9,	From Chester Williams, for supplies	3.20
Jan. 10,	From George Simpson, for water	3.75
Jan. 10,	From Maude Trefthen, for water	5.25
Jan. 10,	From William W. Cotton, for water	4.50
Jan. 10,	From Mrs. Louise Doan, for water	5.25
Jan. 11,	From estate Ephraim Urch, for water	3.75
Jan. 12,	From Charles Giles, for water	3.75
Jan. 12,	From Mrs. Nellie Harrison, for water	2.25
Jan. 12,	From Henry Becker, for water	7.50
Jan. 12,	From Henry Becker, for water	9.00
Jan. 12,	From Chester Becker, for water	3.75
Jan. 14,	From George Davidson, for water	1.50
Jan. 14,	From Joseph A. Rand, for water	3.75
Jan. 14,	From Edwin D. Rand, for water	6.25
Jan. 14,	From James E. Sylvester, for water	5.00
Jan. 14,	From Cecil Downing, for water	5.00
Jan. 17,	From John W. Amazeen, for water	6.25
Jan. 17,	From Miss Annie V. Neal, for water	3.00
Jan. 17,	From Charles F. Prohaska, Sr., for water	3.75
Jan. 18,	From Kenneth R. Stuart, for water	5.25
Jan. 21,	From George Robinson, for water	3.75
Jan. 21,	From S. H. Harding, for water	6.25
Jan. 21,	From James W. White, for water	3.75
Jan. 21,	From J. W. Robinson, for water	2.25
Jan. 21,	From A. W. P. White, for water	3.75
Jan. 21,	From Isaac C. H. Pridham, for water	4.50
Jan. 21,	From Isaac C. H. Pridham, for supplies	3.00
Jan. 21,	From Miss Helena Trefthen, for water	3.75
Jan. 21,	From Thomas Davidson, for water	1.50

Jan. 22, From Mrs. John Flint, for water	5.75
Jan. 22, From Town of New Castle	300.00
Jan. 23, From Andrew J. Horning, for water	4.50
Jan. 23, From Andrew J. Horning, for water	3.75
Jan. 24, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., for supplies	6.00
Jan. 25, From Fred Noyes, for water	3.75
Jan. 25, From Charles C. Tarlton, for water	3.75
Jan. 27, From Richard E. Poole, for water	19.14
Jan. 27, From Richard E. Poole, for supplies	3.00
Jan. 31, From Oliver B. Marvin, for water	3.75
Jan. 31, From William M. Tarlton, for water	3.46
Jan. 31, From William I. Haywood, for water	6.25
Jan. 31, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., for water	10.75
Jan. 31, From Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., for supplies	7.05

Total receipts to date	\$2,816.65
Less Selectmen's orders paid	2,129.89

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1919	\$686.76
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To the Selectmen:—

The above correct statement of my account as town treasurer for the water account for the year ending Jan. 31, 1919.

CHARLES C. TARLTON,

Town Treasurer.

Report of Water Commissioners

ASSETS

Outstanding on service pipes	\$145.74
Outstanding on water services	168.83
Cash on hand, water revenue	485.49
Cash on hand, service pipe	186.37
Cash in hands of commissioners	6.40
Cash on hand, commissioners' salaries	15.00
	\$1,007.83

WATER REVENUE

Collected on water services	\$1,626.81
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DISBURSEMENTS

Nov. 27, City of Portsmouth, N. H.	\$423.37
June 18, Isaac Pridham	87.50
June 25, Nathaniel Yeaton	55.12
Sept. 10, Mark W. Ruee	1.00
Sept. 10, John D. Randall	16.85
Sept. 10, City of Portsmouth, N. H.	147.05
Sept. 10, Chronicle Job Print	6.75
Sept. 10, Rockingham County Light and Power Co.	116.31
Jan. 21, Mark W. Ruee	1.43
Jan. 21, City of Portsmouth, N. H.	95.18
Jan. 21, Charles Prohaska, Jr.	33.14
Jan. 21, Elmer E. Eaton	97.66
Jan. 21, Oliver M. Littlefield	17.12
Jan. 28, City of Portsmouth, N. H.	42.84
	1,141.32

Cash balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1919	\$485.49
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SERVICE PIPE

Collected on service pipe lines	\$1,099.84
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DISBURSEMENTS

Mar. 27, George Trafton	\$3.62
May 20, Leon E. Scruton	685.22
June 18, George B. Meloon	6.89
Sept. 10, John G. Sweetser	9.93
Sept. 10, Hersey Manufacturing Co.	184.82
Jan. 21, Elmer E. Eaton	10.74

Jan. 31, John G. Sweetser	2.50	
Jan. 31, Worthington Pump and Mach. Co.	9.75	
	<hr/>	913.47
Cash balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1919		<hr/> \$186.37

SALARIES .

Cash balance on hand, Feb. 1, 1918	\$15.00	
Received for town (commissioners' salaries)	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$90.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Charles Prohaska, Jr.	\$35.00	
James W. Pridham	20.00	
Oliver M. Littlefield	20.00	
	<hr/>	75.00
Cash balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1919		<hr/> \$15.00

TOTAL OF CASH BALANCES

Water revenue	\$485.49	
Service pipe	186.37	
Commissioners' salaries	15.00	
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Total cash balance on hand Jan. 31, 1919		\$686.86

CHAS. F. PROHASKA, Jr.,
O. M. LITTLEFIELD.
JAMES W. PRIDHAM,

Water Commissioners.

I hereby certify that I have gone over the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROY J. PROHASKA,

Auditor.

Collector's Report

For Year Ending Jan. 31, 1919.

Taxes per warrant, 1918:—

Property tax	\$7,136.76
Poll tax	200.00
Additional taxes	4.00
Total amount of tax warrant	<u>\$7,340.76</u>

Taxes collected, 1918:—

Property	\$6,725.09
Poll	160.00
Total amount of 1918 taxes collected	<u>\$6,885.09</u>
Discounts allowed on taxes of 1918	346.14
Taxes of 1918 in hands of collector	81.77
Taxes of 1918, abated	6.00
	<u>\$7,319.00</u>

Total amount of taxes of 1918 outstanding	\$21.76
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Receipts of Collector:—

Property tax, 1918	\$6,725.09
Poll tax, 1918	160.00
Interest on taxes of 1918	43.90
Taxes in hands of collector Jan. 31, 1918	329.40
Charles W. Neal, balance tax of 1917	2.55
Interest, costs of tax sale	40.28
Heirs of John R. Yeaton, taxes 1899 to 1916 inclusive	<u>72.05</u>

Total amount of taxes collected	\$7,373.27
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Payments of Collector to Treasurer:—

May 28, 1918	\$359.94
Aug. 27, 1918	1,521.27
Sept. 7, 1918	2,355.62
Nov. 26, 1918	1,982.74
Jan. 7, 1919	613.22
Jan. 31, 1919	<u>540.38</u>

Total amount paid treasurer	\$7,373.27
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Taxes of 1918 in hands of collector	\$81.77	
Heirs Amory J. Meloon, taxes 1915 and 1916	9.50	
Interest	4.30	
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Amount of taxes due town		\$95.57
Collector's commission outstanding on \$7,052.16, 2½ per cent		\$176.30
Receipts by order of Selectmen:—		
April 16, 1918, Collector's commission out- standing Feb. 15, 1918	\$213.54	
Supplies	3.92	
Collector's services at tax sale	4.50	
Commission on \$321.40 taxes of 1917	8.04	
Stationery and stamps	3.00	
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Total received from treasurer		\$233.00
Disbursements:—		
Oct. 30, 1918, Stamps	\$3.00	
Dec. 31, Supplies	2.50	
Jan. 1, 1919, Stamps and stationery	3.25	
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		8.75
Collector's commission outstanding		176.30
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Total amount due collector		\$184.05
WAYNE D. POOLE,		
Collector.		

Report of the Trustees of the Public Library

For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1919.

RECEIPTS

1918.	
Jan. 31, Cash on hand for current expenses	\$73.89
Oct. 8, Received from town	215.00
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	\$288.89

EXPENDITURES

Mrs. H. L. Yeaton, services as librarian	\$135.00
A. W. Hanscom, rent	50.00
Rockingham County Light and Power Co., elec_	
tric lights	13.75
Henry Becker, fuel	3.50
C. E. Walker & Co., fuel	27.90
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	230.15
Balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1919, for current	
penses	<hr/>
	\$58.74

EDWIN D. RAND,
JAMES W. PRIDHAM,
HENRY BECKER,

Trustees.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts
and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROY J. PROHASKA,

Auditor.

Report of the Board of Education

The school board respectfully submits the annual report for the year ending January 31, 1919:

This has been a very bad year for our schools. We were obliged to close five weeks the first part of the year owing to a shortage of coal and the later part due to the epidemic of influenza.

The primary school is in charge of Miss Trefethen and keeps its usual high standard.

Miss Chapman is in charge of the Grammar school and is doing excellent work. We installed a new coal bin in the grammar school, using a part of the stage, which holds approximately seven tons of coal.

We are unable to insert a warrant in this report, waiting orders from the Board of Instruction.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED R. NOYES,
JAMES E. SYLVESTER,
R. E. POOLE,

School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Town of New Castle.

January 31, 1918—January 31, 1919.

CURRENT REVENUE

Town Tax for Schools:—

1. Text books and supplies	\$100.00
2. High school tuition	500.00
3. Flags and appurtenances	10.00
4. Salaries	55.00
5. Repairs	25.00
6. School district tax	750.00
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	\$1,440.00

Dog licenses

29.00

From Town (Account 1917-1918):—

1. High school tuition	60.00
2. Regular school money	895.00
3. Salaries	110.00

4. Text books and supplies	25.00	
5. Flags and appurtenances	10.00	
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		\$1,100.00
Total current revenue		\$2,569.00
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1918		30.26
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Grand total		\$2,599.26

CURRENT RECEIPTS

1918.			
Mar. 28, Regular school money	\$400.00		
High school money	60.00		
Books and supplies	25.00		
Salaries	55.00		
		<hr/>	\$540.00
May 8, General school money	90.00		
High school tuition	210.00		
Flags and appurtenances	10.00		
Dog licenses	29.00		
		<hr/>	339.00
Sept. 5, General school money	200.00		200.00
Oct. 30, General school money	300.00		
Books and supplies	75.00		
		<hr/>	375.00
Dec. 14, General school money	250.00		
Salaries	55.00		
		<hr/>	305.00
1919.			
Jan. 9, General school money	300.00		
Repairs	25.00		
High school tuition	206.67		
		<hr/>	531.67
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Grand total receipts			\$2,290.67

ORDINARY CURRENT EXPENSES

Administration:—

1. Salaries of school board	\$25.00	
2. Miscellaneous expenses of board	3.30	
3. Salaries of other officers	17.00	
4. Moderator (1918)	2.00	
5. Truant officer	5.00	\$52.30

Instruction:—

1. Regular teachers' salaries	1,188.00	
2. School books and supplies	97.93	
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Operation and Maintenance of School Board:—

1. Janitor service	100.98	
2. Fuel (wood and coal)	57.40	
3. Building and janitor's supplies	1.50	
4. Other expenses of operation	13.95	
5. Express and cartage	11.69	
		<hr/> 185.52

Special Activities:—

1. High school tuition	476.67	
2. One set "Children's Hour Books"	25.00	
		<hr/> 501.67

Total ordinary expenses	\$2,025.42
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Extraordinary Outlay for Instruction:—

1. Building coal bin in Grammar school	41.86	
2. Added expenses of treasurer	3.01	
		<hr/> 44.87

Flags and appurtenances	28.10
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Total expenses for all purposes	\$2,098.39
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Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1919	222.54
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Grand total	\$2,320.93
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ASSETS

High school rebate from James E. Sylvester	\$20.00	
Cash on hand	222.54	
		<hr/> \$242.54

Accounts Due District from Town:—

1. Regular school money	105.00	
2. Salaries	55.00	
3. High school tuition	83.33	
4. Books and supplies	25.00	
5. Flags and appurtenances	10.00	
		<hr/> 278.33

Total assets	\$520.87
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LIABILITIES

1. Teachers	\$576.00
2. Fuel	50.00
3. Janitor	65.00

4. Books and supplies	25.00	
5. High school tuition	270.00	
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Total Liabilities		\$743.00
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Excess of liabilities over assets		\$222.13

Respectfully submitted,

FRED R. NOYES,

JAMES E. SYLVESTER,

R. E. POOLE,

, School Board.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOLS

For the Year July 15, 1917, to July 15, 1918

		Fall Term	Winter Term	Spring Term	Year
1. Length of School weeks of five days.	Primary	15	11	12	38
	Grammar	15	11	12	38
2. Aggregate number of days lost by holidays.	Primary	5	5	3	13
	Grammar	5	6	3	14
3. Whole number of different pupils registered	Primary	33	34	33	33
	Grammar	27	28	27	27
4. Boys	Primary	20	21	20	20
	Grammar	12	11	11	11
5. Girls	Primary	13	12	13	13
	Grammar	14	16	14	16
6. Average daily attendance	Primary	24.8	23	24.8	24.4
	Grammar	23.03	23.03	23.03	23.03
7. Average daily absence	Primary	2.9	3	2.9	2.9
	Grammar	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
8. Number of cases of tardidness	Primary				83
	Grammar				52
9. Number of visits by school board	Primary	1	1	1	3
	Grammar	1	1	1	3
10. Number of visits by parents	Primary				32
	Grammar				18
11. Number of pupils not absent or tardy	Primary				1
	Gsammar				0

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

First Term.	Second Term.	Third Term.
George E. Meloon	Gertrude Gilliam	Frederick White
Wayne D. Poole	Worth Pridham	Gertrude Collins
Kendrick Poole	Wayne Poole	
Frederick S. White	Frederick White	
Sarah A. Horning	Stephen Wargo	
Gertrude Collins	Olive Jackson	
Delmar Pridham	Gertrude Collins	
Elsie Sylvester		
Celia Williams		
Elmer Sylvester		

Report of School District Treasurer

RECEIPTS

1918.	
Feb. 15, Balance on hand	\$30.26
From Selectmen and deposited in National Mechanics and Traders Bank:—	
Mar. 17	540.00
May 24	339.00
Sept. 10	200.00
Nov. 14	375.00
Dec. 13	305.00
1919.	
Jan. 14	531.67
	----- \$2,320.93
Expenditures	2,098.39

Balance	\$222.54
1919.	
Jan. 25, Received from James E. Sylvester, Jr., and deposited in bank	20.00

Balance as shown by check book, Jan. 31, 1919	\$242.54
Statement from Bank Jan. 21, 1919 (balance)	\$382.02
Jan. 25, Deposit	20.00

	\$402.02
Total outstanding checks to Jan. 31, 1919	159.48

Balance on hand and in bank	\$242.54

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. HORNING,

School District Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the School Board and Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JESSE O. WHITE,

Auditor.

New Castle, N. H., Feb. 18, 1919.

Vital Statistics of the Town of New Castle, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Condition	Number	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
April 15	New Castle	Bevriel J. Harris	M	L	5	w	Joseph T. Harris	Katherine Nugent	w New Castle	Machinist's helper	Springfield, Mo.	St. Johns, N. F.
July 24	New Castle	Annette Muriel Ricker	F	L	8	w	George B. Ricker	Sadie E. White	w New Castle	Captain, U. S. C. G.	New Castle, N. H.	New Castle, N. H.
August 1	New Castle	Harvey Ray Brackett	M	L	3	w	Burton Brackett	Rachel M. Brecklander	w New Castle	Sheet metal worker	Providence, R. I.	Valentine, Neb.
September 5	New Castle	Katherine Elizabeth Hussey	F	L	3	w	Charles W. Hussey	Mildred M. Smith	w New Castle	Draftsman	Cambridge, Mass.	Hingham, Mass.
August 23	New Castle	Bartholomus Horatio Nordle	M	L	3	w	Lewis Nordle	Anna O'Donnell	w Manchester, N. H.	Carpenter	Norway	Manchester, N. H.
September 11	New Castle	Anne Mary Prail	F	L	2	w	Myer Prail	Rosie Trailer	w New Castle	Post tailor	Russia	Russia
September 10	New Castle	Josephine Grace Hurley	F	L	9	w	Fred Hurley	Blanche Lewis	w New Castle	Riveter	Livermore Falls, Me.	Kittery, Me.
September 24	New Castle	Loring Paul La Rose	M	L	2	w	Harry Raymond La Rose	Elsie Viola Norton	w New Castle	Sergeant, U. S. A.	Warwick, N. Y.	York, Me.
August 19	New Castle	Benning Wentw'th Sammartino	M	L	2	w	Pasquale Sammartino	Erminia Mancini	w New Castle	Tailor	Italy	Italy

MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom married
January 14	New Castle	Raymond F. York	So. Eliot, Me.	25	w	Sheet Metal w'k'r.	South Eliot, Me.	J. Frank York	Wells, Me.	Machinist	1	Charles C. Tarlton, justice of peace, New Castle.
		Josephine G. Butler	So. Eliot, Me.	22	w	Dressmaker	South Eliot, Me.	Emma L. Staples	South Eliot, Me.	Teamster	1	
February 11	Manchester, N. H.	Nazair George Constant	Portsmouth, N. H.	32	w	Shoemaker	Epping, N. H.	Joseph Butler	Eliot, Me.	Shoeworker	1	Rev. J. A. Chevallier, priest, Manchester, N. H.
		Lucicene Dana Gelinas	Manchester, N. H.	21	w	Clerk	Manchester, N. H.	Hannah Goodwin	Canada	Tailor	1	
February 21	Portsmouth, N. H.	Henry M. Hale	New Castle	25	w	Soldier, U. S. A.	Conway, N. H.	Theophile Constant	Canada	Station Agent	1	Irving F. Barnes, clergyman, Portsmouth, N. H.
		Gladys Lovering	Moultonboro, N. H.	22	w		Moultonboro, N. H.	Mary Currier	Conway, N. H.	Doctor	1	
July 4	New Castle	Warren T. Osgood	New Castle	34	w	General helper	Allenstown, N. H.	Joseph O. Gelinas	Conway, N. H.	Farmer	1	William P. Stanley, minister, Portsmouth, N. H.
		Emily H. Jarvais	Readsboro, Vt.	25	w	Bookkeeper	Readsboro, Vt.	Angerline Diezel	Monmouth, Me.	Farmer	1	
September 4	Cambridge, Mass.	Raymond W. DeCoff	New Castle	20	w	Carpenter	Fitchburg, Mass.	Frank W. Hale	Milton, Vt.	Car inspector	1	Alfred Noon, clergyman, Cambridge, Mass.
		Blanche Whitcomb	Lunenburg, Mass.	22	w		Lunenburg, Mass.	Henrietta Metcalf	East Boston, Mass.	Farmer	1	

DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
January 26	New Castle	Ester M. Becker	81	3/20 Kittery, Me.	F	w	m	Kittery, Me.	Kittery, Me.	William Brown	Ester Fernald
February 22	New Castle	Katherine Shuler	30	8- Boston, Mass.	F	w	m	Ireland	Ireland	John O'Malley	
March 15	Cambridge, Mass.	Emma Hall	78	8-19 New Castle	F	w	w	New Castle	New Castle	Charles H. White	Sarah F. Randall
March 19	New Castle	Charles Haven White	54	10/23 New Castle	M	w	d	New Castle	New Castle	Walter M. Bickford	Etta C. White
April 2	Waterville, Me.	Melvin W. Bickford	24	2-2 New Castle	F	w	m	New Castle	New Castle		
March 16	Portsmouth, N. H.	Alpharetta P. Meloon	55	11-12 New Castle	F	w	d	New Castle	New Castle	Joshua Baker	Catherine Pridham
March 17	Portsmouth, N. H.	Isabelle Rand Wheeler	74	11-12 New Castle	F	w	w	Boston, Mass.	New Foundland	Charles F. Prohaska, Jr.	Ida M. Murry
March 18	New Castle	Louisa S. Emery	74	8-19 New Castle	M	w	-	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Jacob Hubley	Elizabeth Winott
April 3	Concord, N. H.	Barbara Adelaide White	92	8-1 Nova Scotia	F	w	w	New Castle	New Castle	Nathan White	Elizabeth White
July 26	Portsmouth, N. H.	Margaret A. White	79	7/26 New Castle	F	w	s	New Castle	New Castle	Joseph L. Gilliam	
August 3	New Castle	Claude C. Gilliam	28	1/12 Yale, Va.	M	w	m	Yale, Va.	New Castle	John R. Pridham	Ruth A. Fish
August 11	New Castle	John R. Pridham	69	- New Castle	M	w	m	New Castle	Marblehead, Mass.	Thomas E. Patterson	May Marvis
August 20	Port Constitution	George T. Patterson	46	4/28 North Platt, Nev.	M	w	s	Belfast, Ireland	Pennsylvania		Amelia Tucker
October 9	Port Constitution	Willard Tucker	24	6- Willimantic, Conn.	M	w	m	Eliot, Me.	Dover, N. H.	Ivory Manson	Mary Duncan
October 14	New Castle	Andrew Manson	65	8/14 Kittery, Me.	M	w	w				
November 27	New Castle	George Edward Ladd	21	3/19 W. Schuyler Falls, N. Y.	M	w	s				
November 26	Portsmouth, N. H.	Jessie F. Meloon	43	4/18 New Castle	F	w	m				
December 6	Portsmouth, N. H.	Marie Annie Robinson	92	6/15 New Castle	F	w	w				
December 18	Portsmouth, N. H.	James Henry Amazeen	82	5/28 New Castle	M	w	m				
December 23	New Castle	Mary Louise Tarlton	46	9/12 New Castle	F	w	m	At home	Biddeford, Me.	Jonathan Emery	Louisa S. Baker

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES C. TARLTON, Town Clerk.

